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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above captioned application. The fee has been calculated below.

Petition for Extension of Time: The Applicant(s) hereby petitions the Commissioner to extend the time for response to the Office Action mailed May 13, 2008 from August 13, 2008 to September 13, 2008.

The following fee is applicable:

Ext. fcc for response within 1st month.

\$120.00

TOTAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT

\$120.00

A Credit Card authorization for \$120.00 for the 1-month extension of time fee is enclosed. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required by this paper, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No.18-1589.

Respectfully submitted.

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